

## MONEY FOR PLOTTERS BY BERNSTORFF LEGAL ADVISORS MAY GIVE AUTHORITY

### VOTE TO REFUND \$40,000 CITY BONDS

**\$2,000 Bonds Ordered Paid from the Sinking Fund, \$40,000 to be Borrowed from State 4%**

**Special Ballot Carrying Plan to be Voted on at Spring Election—Fire Protection was Discussed**

The city council, all members being present, voted Monday night to take up the \$42,000 bonded indebtedness of the city coming due, of which \$17,000 represents building bonds and \$25,000 bridge bonds. \$2,000 is to be paid out of the sinking fund and the balance of \$40,000 is to be covered in a 4 per cent loan from the state, of which \$15,000 will come due in 1927 and \$25,000 in 1937. There will be a special ballot at the April 3 spring election carrying the above plan for the consideration of the voters.

Joseph R. Spiering, superintendent of the Brainerd Gas & Electric Co., appeared before the council desirous of having a change made in the scale for drawing maps representing the company's holdings as provided in the franchise, claiming the franchise scale would make maps so large they could not be handled by one man. He wished the scale reduced to 300 feet to the inch. The council discussed the proposition at length and then voted to accept no amendment.

Judge C. A. Albright, chairman of the fire protection committee of the Chamber of Commerce, presented the report of his committee on fire hazards and recent fires in Brainerd and setting forth proposed remedies, chief of which was the employment of a paid professional fire chief, of the institution of watchman paid for by the merchants and given police powers, and of improvements in the water main service.

When Mr. Albright claimed there was no one at the recent Dr. E. F. Jamieson fire to make immediate connection with the hydrant, J. C. Clausen, fireman sitting in the rear of the room, very vigorously asserted there was.

President F. A. Farrar said a new chief, if elected by the present council, would have a short term ending May 1. One would hardly secure a man before his term was out. He would be glad to see watchmen given police powers. The matter of a water tower and mains was for the water and light board to thresh out. He mentioned that the council had, at the request of the Chamber of Commerce, made the fire chief a building inspector.

On motion of Alderman Anderson, carried, the matter was referred to the fire committee to confer with the Chamber of Commerce and the water and light board for the purpose of working out uniform relief measures.

Mr. Farrar said that at present three firemen were sleeping at the hose house, and that the usual number allotted was five.

Alderman Anderson complained of frozen water mains in his district and the thawing out of them was referred to the fire and water committee.

To the fire committee was referred the securing of two tires for the fire truck.

The Minnesota & International Railway company, through its manager, W. H. Gemmell, asked permission to cut in an extra door way at the manager's office connecting with another room, promising to use the same material for frame, door, etc., as the balance of the interior. The council did not grant permission.

The vote, ayes and nays being taken, stood 6 against granting permission, being Aldermen Peterson, Anderson, Betzold, Farrar, Morrison and Haake; and 4 favoring permission being Aldermen Turcotte, Koop, Benson

and Smith. The motion was declared lost. A monthly rent of \$20 extra was made for a room on the third floor and additional one on second floor.

Andrew E. Fritz, state public examiner, in a communication said an examiner would be in Brainerd by May 1 to go over the books as requested in the resolution recently adopted by the council.

Alderman F. M. Koop, chairman of the finance committee, reported there was \$2,800 coming from the March settlement.

The report of the city clerk Anton Mahlum, for February, 1917, was read, accepted and filed as follows:

RECEIPTS	
Cigarette license	\$ 25.00
Junk dealers license	25.00
Pool table license	25.00
Transfers	2.00
Court fees	12.00
Dog license	1.00
Assignment of wages fees	.10
Wolf bounty certificates	.70
Interest on daily balances	76.57
Rent for second floor city hall	90.00
Scale rent	4.17
Court fine	25.00
Total	\$286.54

#### DISBURSEMENTS

City expenses \$671.87 as follows:	
Salaries, mayor and aldermen	\$ 150.00
Same, other city officers	354.33
Janitors and firemen	45.00
Coal	117.89
Supplies for janitors	4.65

Police protection \$303.72 as follows:	
Regular force	\$ 215.00
Special police	17.08
Meals for prisoners	40.14
Phone rental	24.00
Hire of rigs	7.50

Fire protection \$250.43:	
Salary fire chief	\$ 25.00
Fire truck drivers	130.00
Coal fire station	18.90
Supplies and repairs fire truck	69.95
Laundry work	6.58

Phil fund	\$ 19.23
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Miscellaneous \$67.52 as follows:

Birth and death register	\$ 3.25
Burying dead dog	1.00
Part salary city engineer	19.23
Stationary and publishing	44.04
Library	32.00
Bond interest	575.00
Outstanding sewer warrants	642.42
Outstanding sewer warrant coupons	74.10
Revolving fund	166.67
Refund Act. district sewer sewer No. 3	12.48
Relief of Poor	73.00

Total \$2,888.44

Bills allowed and ordered paid were the city pay roll for February \$708.33; Christ and Randi Olson, rebate taxes, \$8.97; library bills Brainerd Dispatch \$4.50, Minneapolis Journal \$3, Sherlund Co. \$11.45, C. M. Phelps \$12.14 and Mrs. T. Jones \$20; Dr. C. S. Reimstad, expenses taking care contagious disease, \$25; Frank Brandt, refund taxes, \$5.91; Winnor-Adams Lumber Co., \$337.56; Mahlum Lumber Co., \$3.89; McGinn & Smith, \$2.75; Northern Pacific Railway company, \$1; Fred Parks, \$6.75; Northwestern Telephone Exchange Co., rental police alarm February, \$8; Twin City Stamp & Stencil Co., \$8.25; C. A. Olson, \$42.47; H. W. Linnemann, \$39; Roeko Bros., \$32.48 and \$79.95; White Bros.,

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#### SENATOR LA FOLLETTE.

Citizens of Wheeling W. Va., Dencune Him as Traitor.



By Clineinst, Washington.

Wheeling, W. Va., March 6.—Denounced as a traitor to the American people at a mass meeting of citizens here, Senator Robert M. La Follette of Wisconsin was ordered not to come to Wheeling Thursday, as had been arranged.

He was to have delivered a lecture on "Undermining of Democracy" at the Koff Street temple. Rabbi A. M. Silver of the temple told the citizens that he prayed the man could not come.

### Her Answer Shows Austria Supports German Attitude

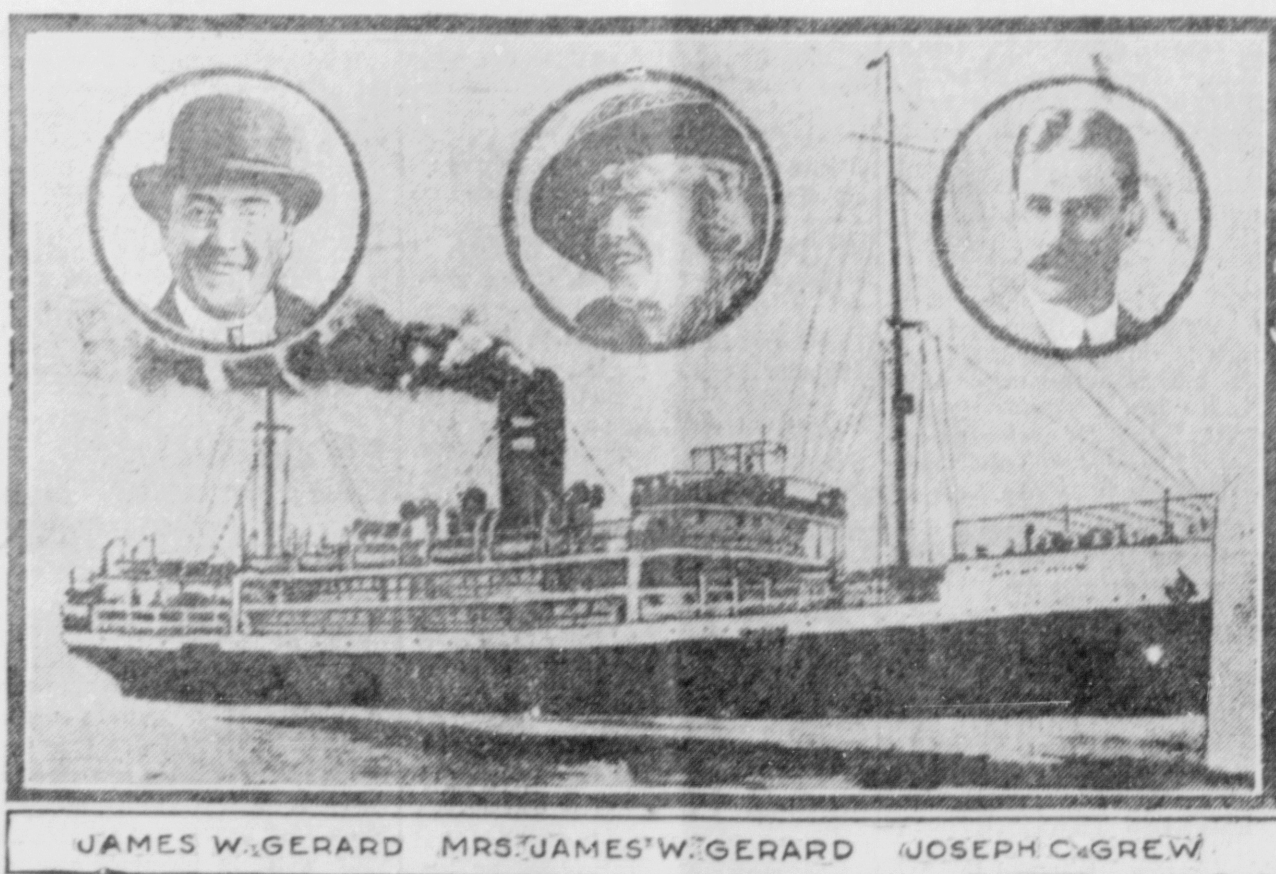
(By United Press)

Amsterdam, March 6.—Her answer shows that Austria supports the theory of unrestricted submarine warfare. The note says the American contention of protection to neutrals is upheld, but that neutrals have had full and complete warning. The step is taken to maintain the freedom of the seas, and if victorious will allow all flags to fly on the high seas. Much of the note is devoted to a denunciation of England.

#### NAVAL AEROPLANES BOMB GERMAN BLAST FURNACES

London, March 6.—An official report says that naval aeroplanes bombarded the German blast furnaces at Brebach.

### Spanish Ship Bringing American Embassy Back from Europe



JAMES W. GERARD MRS. JAMES W. GERARD JOSEPH C. GREW

The Spanish ship Infanta Isabel is bringing former Ambassador Gerard and Mrs. Gerard along with other members of the embassy, including Joseph C. Grew, counselor, back from Europe. The ship is not conveyed by an American warship. She will dock at Havana about March 9, and the Americans will sail north from there.

#### FOUR ARRESTS OF GERMAN PLOTTERS ADMIT CONNECTION

(By United Press)

New York, March 6.—Four arrests have been made of alleged German plotters within 24 hours, and has added to the startling revelations of Teutonic activities in the United States, started by Boy-Ed, Von Papen and others.

Hans Schwartz, held, admitted he was an accomplice of Fritz Kolb, arrested in a room which was full of explosives, and stated he was going to place the bombs on Black Tom Island where it was planned to fill it with explosives.

Dr. Hanador Chakiaberty, Hindoo physician, and Dr. Ernest Sekunner, German, arrested admitted that former Ambassador von Bernstorff left them \$60,000 to be used for plotting.

#### WILSON MAY ANNOUNCE DECISION LATE TODAY ARMING MERCHANTMEN

(By United Press)

Washington, March 6.—President Wilson may announce his decision late this afternoon in regard to arming merchantmen. There is a strong intimation that his legal advisors will give him authority to go ahead.

### Inaugural Address To Set Europe Right on U. S. Position

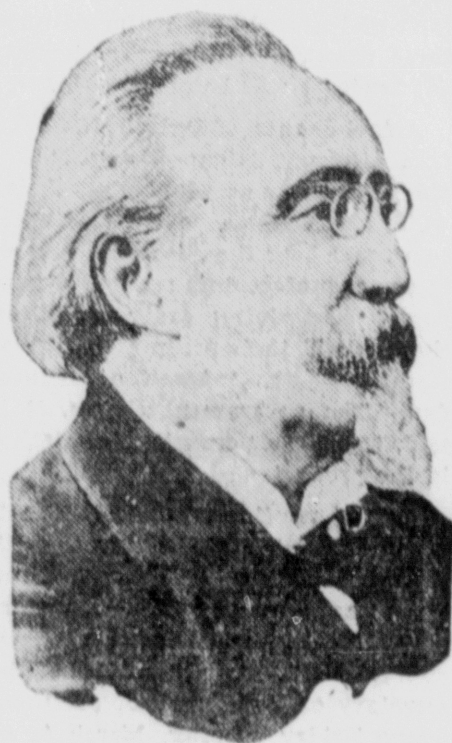
Washington, March 6.—To set Europe right on the "position of the United States on the international situation," President Wilson has given instructions that copies of his inaugural address be brought to the attention of all foreign governments as information.

#### Chinese Tong War Seven are Slain

San Francisco, March 6.—The "Tong" war is on in six California cities and seven Chinese have been slain.

#### MANUEL DE ARRIAGA.

Former President of Portugal Is Dead.



Lisbon, March 6.—The death is announced of Manuel de Arriaga, former president of Portugal.

### Armed Neutrality Ruled Out of Order In the Senate

(By United Press)

Washington, March 6.—Senator Lodge, republican, introduced the armed neutrality bill into the senate, Senator Owen holding that it was not in order because the senate foreign relations committee to which the bill referred died with the 64th congress, and Vice President Marshall sustained the objection, as he did also the statement of Senator Thomas that on account of congress not being in session the Lodge bill was not in order. The bill is identical with the one killed by the filibuster.

### Shows that Austria Cannot Give up Right to Sink Enemy

Washington, March 6.—The state department has received the answer from Austria in regard to Ambassador Pennfield's inquiry as to whether Austria upholds Germany's unrestricted right to submarine warfare. It shows that Austria cannot give up the right to sink the enemy merchantmen, but does not mention neutral merchantmen. It is thought Austria is straining a point to retain the friendship of America.

## ST. PATRICK'S DAY CELEBRATION MCH. 16

**Under Auspices of B. V. M. Sodality of St. Francis Catholic Church at the K. C. Hall**

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#### GREWSOME SIGHT MADE GIBBERING LUNATICS OF GERMAN SOLDIERS

(By United Press)

With the British Armies in France, March 6.—One reason the Germans retreated along the Acre was because they were fast becoming gibbering lunatics on account of their position which was more hideous than the scuppers of hell.

The ceaseless pounding had turned the position into stench pots too hideous for human nerves to stand. The shell craters were cess pools filled with blood colored water, probably due to chemicals in the high explosives, or from the nature of the earth.

Your correspondent in visiting the scene was constantly stepping on German bodies killed last fall and were buried when the British took the trenches. The corpse were in every position, and where live Germans were forced to stand and fight the arms and heads of the dead were sticking from the mud, the remainder of the bodies being hidden.

### Supreme Court Awards Armed Liner Appam to the British

(By United Press)

Washington, March 6.—The supreme court has awarded the liner Appam to the British owners on the grounds that they could have used a neutral European port 3,000 miles closer, the failure to do this being a violation of United States neutrality.

#### DESPERATE FIGHTING REGION CAURIESWOOD

(By United Press)

Paris, March 6.—An official statement says that desperate fighting continues in the region of Caurieswood and Douaumont. The violent German efforts to drive the French from the trenches which they conquered yesterday failed.

#### POINTS TO ONE MISTAKE

German Writer Says Mexico Was Not Approached Right.

Berlin, March 6.—"Germany's self-defensive offer of an alliance with Mexico may reveal to Americans the danger into which President Wilson is leading them," according to George Bernhard, writing in the Vossische Zeitung.

"It is our duty," he says, "to list as an ally America's most bitter enemy, but the offer proved the salvation of Wilson's reputation when he played it as trump. We should not have offered Mexico America's territory. Mexico is on the defensive against Americans and therefore should merely have been tendered assistance."

St. Patrick, Ireland's patron saint, will have his anniversary celebrated Friday evening, March 16, under the auspices of the B. V. M. Sodality of St. Francis Catholic church at the Knights of Columbus hall.

The concert will be given by local talent. The orator of the evening will be Rev. Father P. J. Ryan, of Duluth, a distinguished speaker who will pay due tribute in golden eloquence.

### Floods in South Force Many People from Their Homes

(By United Press)

Chatanooga, Tenn., March 6.—4,000 people were forced to abandon their homes last night on account of the dangerously rising waters of the Tennessee river which burst the bounds and invaded large sections of the city.

### Hogs Set Record Going to \$14.55

(By United Press)

Chicago, March 6.—Hogs have set another high mark, going to \$14.55 per 100 pounds. This is an increase of 20 to 25 cents over yesterday.

East St. Louis, March 6.—Hogs are up 10 to 15 cents, the new high record being \$14.60.

### Adamson Law is Before Court Now Assembled

(By United Press)

Washington, March 6.—The supreme court has reconvened after several weeks recess. The Adamson law is an important case in which a decision is expected.

### Place on Trial Charged Plotting Murder Premier

(By United Press)

London, March 6.—Mrs. Mary and Mrs. Harriet Wheldon, and Alfred Mason and wife were placed on trial, charged with plotting to murder Premier Lloyd George and Minister Arthur Henderson.

### Japan Knows Where True Interests Lie

(By United Press)

Tokio, March 6.—Japan knows full well where her true interests lie, and it would be an act of sheer madness to attempt to violate her plighted faith with the entente allies, Field Marshal Count Terauchi, premier of Japan, told the United Press.

#### BRITISH ATTACK WAS PRECEDED BY DRUM FIRE

Berlin, March 6.—An official statement says that the British attack, which was preceded by drum fire, was repulsed east of Bouachvesnes.



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snow tonight and east portion Wed-  
nesday. Colder Wednesday west por-  
tion tonight fresh, shifting winds.

**LOCAL NEWS NOTES**

News of Parties, Visitors, Vis-  
its, Deaths, Accidents, Etc.,  
gratefully received by the Dis-  
patch. Both phones, North-  
west 74, Automatic 274.

Father Lamey, of St. Mathias, was  
in the city.

C. W. Hilton, expert Piano Tuner,  
phone evenings 692-M-2. 221tf  
Frank Walker, of Platte Lake, was  
in the city.

James Ingram, county surveyor of  
Pequot, was in the city Monday.  
The county commissioners are in  
session today.

Nettleton loans money on homes.  
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L. J. Alberts, well known Deer-  
wood merchant, was in Brainerd to-  
day.

W. H. Cloud, cashier of the First  
State bank of Pequot, was in Brainerd.

L. Mathison and D. D. Schrader of  
Pequot, were Brainerd business visi-  
tors.

Mr. and Mrs. Alla Cuskey and  
daughter are visiting her parents in  
Aitkin.

Frank Graton, of Fleming Brook,  
Aitkin township, was operated on for  
appendicitis.

M. W. Downie, auditor of the Min-  
nesota & International, went to St.  
Paul this afternoon.

For Sale—Large cleared lots 3rd  
Ave. near Lowell school, 2 for \$325.  
Cash or credit. Nettleton. 232tf

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hawkins and  
children returned this afternoon from  
a visit in Lima, Ohio.

For spring water phone 264. tf  
Mrs. Charles Sunley, guest of  
friends, returned Tuesday afternoon  
to her home in St. Paul.

Miss Margaret Quinn has returned  
from a visit with her friend, Miss  
Kathryn Gwathmey, of Aitkin.

John Krekelberg has announced his  
candidacy for treasurer of the city of  
Brainerd at the coming city election.

G. W. Chadbourne today an-  
nounced his candidacy for city treas-  
urer at the coming city election on  
April 3d.

Even G. Boyd, special officer of the  
Indian department, returned today  
from Duluth where he was on official  
business.

Mrs. O. H. Johnson, visiting her  
mother in St. Peter, celebrated her  
birthday Sunday, which was also the  
anniversary of her mother's birthday.

A salamander used to keep cement  
work from freezing Saturday night  
was the innocent cause of a fire alarm  
turned in at the former Star Grocery  
building.

Primus D. Kreitter, prominent  
Ironton man, head of the Crosby-  
Ironton school district, has returned

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home from a lengthy visit on the Pa-  
cific coast.

John H. Hill, one of the founders  
of Ironton, went to San Antonio,  
Texas, this afternoon where he will  
spend several months recuperating  
his health.

Mrs. George F. Murphy and Mrs.  
Lillian Ewing left Sunday for the  
eastern dry goods markets where  
they will study the styles and buy  
goods for "The Store of Quality."

Douglas Clute returned home Mon-  
day afternoon from Brainerd, where  
he visited his brother, Ernest Clute,  
who was operated on Saturday for  
appendicitis.—Little Falls Transcript.

P. B. Nettleton reports the sale of  
lots 20 and 21, block 140, on North  
Broadway, to John Ernster, consid-  
eration not made public. They were  
sold for Mrs. Annie L. Nevers yester-  
day.

White Cross Lodge, No. 38, K. of  
P., will hold a special meeting to-  
morrow evening at 8 o'clock. The  
rank of Page will be conferred upon  
three candidates, and other import-  
ant business will be acted upon.

Alfred Jaques, of Duluth, U. S. dis-  
trict attorney, is expected in Brainerd  
Wednesday at which time Judge  
W. S. McClenahan, of the district  
court will hear the Alco case, where-  
in the manufacturers secured a tem-  
porary restraining order permitting  
them to sell their product until final  
disposal of the injunction Wednes-  
day. The government claims, it is  
said, there is a percentage of alcohol  
in the product.

A joint meeting of the fire depart-  
ment committee of the city council,  
representatives of the water and  
light board and committee on fire  
protection of the Chamber of Com-  
merce, will be held at the office of the  
secretary of the Chamber of Com-  
merce Friday evening, March 9, at  
7:30 sharp. The purpose of the  
meeting is to consider the matter of  
improved fire protection in the city.  
certain recommendations recently  
made by the Chamber to the city  
council.

**GRAIN AND PROVISION PRICES**

**Duluth Wheat and Flax.**  
Duluth, March 5.—Wheat—On track  
and to arrive. No. 1 hard, \$1.97; No. 1  
Northern, \$1.96; No. 2 Northern, \$1.  
90@1.92. Flax—On track and to ar-  
rive, \$2.84.

**St. Paul Grain.**  
St. Paul, March 5.—Wheat—No. 1  
hard, \$2.08½@2.10½; No. 1 Northern,  
\$1.97½@2.04½; No. 2 Northern, \$1.  
95½@2.03½; corn, \$1.02½@1.04½;  
oats, 57½@59½c; barley, 96c@1.16;  
rye, \$1.52@1.53; flax, \$2.80.

**South St. Paul Live Stock.**  
South St. Paul, March 5.—Cattle—  
Receipts, 4,300; steers, \$5.75@10.50;  
cows and heifers, \$5.75@9.00; calves,  
\$6.25@10.25. Hogs—Receipts, 9,000;  
range, \$13.40@13.70. Sheep—Receipts,  
100; lambs, \$12.00@13.50; ewes, \$5.00  
@10.50.

**Chicago Grain and Provisions.**  
Chicago, March 5.—Wheat—May,  
\$1.88½; July, \$1.83½; Sept., \$1.64½.  
Corn—May, \$1.06½; July, \$1.06½;  
Sept., \$1.05. Oats—May, 59½c; July,  
57½c. Pork—May, \$33.80; July, \$33.  
25. Butter—Creameries, 38½@40c. Eggs  
—27@29c. Poultry—Springs, 21½c;  
fowls, 20½c.

**Minneapolis Grain.**  
Minneapolis, March 5.—Wheat—  
May, \$1.89½; July, \$1.82½; Sept., \$1.  
49½. Cash close on track: No. 1 hard,  
\$2.08½@2.10½; No. 1 Northern, \$1.  
97½@2.04½; No. 2 Northern, \$1.95½  
@2.03½; No. 3 Northern, \$1.87½@1.  
97½; No. 3 yellow corn, \$1.02½@1.  
04½; No. 3 white oats, 57½@59½c;  
flax, \$2.88.

**Chicago Live Stock.**  
Chicago, March 5.—Cattle—Re-  
ceipts, 14,000; steers, \$8.15@12.10;  
cows and heifers, \$5.40@10.35; calves  
\$8.00@11.25. Hogs—Receipts, 42,000  
light, \$13.40@14.15; mixed, \$13.75@  
14.20; heavy, \$13.75@14.20; rough  
\$13.76@13.85; pigs, \$10.50@12.60.  
Sheep—Receipts, 14,000; native, \$10  
80@12.15; lambs, \$12.00@14.60.

**St. Paul Hay.**  
St. Paul, March 5.—Hay—Choice  
timothy, \$15.75; No. 1 timothy, \$15.00  
@15.75; No. 1 clover, mixed, \$13.50@  
14.25; No. 1 mixed, different grasses  
\$13.50@14.25; No. 1 mixed, timothy  
and wild, \$12.50@13.25; choice upland,  
\$13.50; No. 1 upland, \$12.50@13.25;  
No. 1 midland, \$10.00@10.75; No. 1 al-  
falfa, \$18.00@18.75.

**BEST THEATRE**

TODAY—Marie Dresler in  
"Tillie Wakes Up"

TOMORROW—George Fawcett in  
"The Heart of Texas Ryan"

**EMPRESS THEATRE**

TODAY—Charles Richmond in  
"Secret Kingdom"

TOMORROW—Blue Bird—Harry D.  
Carey in  
"Love's Lariat"

**SENATE MAY ADOPT  
THE CLOTURE RULE**

Filibusters Likely to Force  
Such a Step.

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Work Before Congress Cannot Be Ac-  
complished In Short Time—Postoffice  
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By ARTHUR W. DUNN.

Washington, March 6.—[Special.]—  
Filibusters may force cloture in the  
United States senate. Successful filib-  
usters always take place at the close  
of a short session of congress when a  
minority decides that it will not per-  
mit certain legislation to pass. Suc-  
cessful filibusters are usually conducted  
by a minority party united. It is  
very rare that a combination of men  
from both parties will get together and  
conduct a successful filibuster. Partisan-  
ship controls on such occasions. It  
is also a fact that filibusters do not  
usually win unless there is encourage-  
ment given to the minority by different  
members of the majority.

Two years ago, when the ship pur-  
chase bill was defeated by a filibuster  
of the Republicans and was helped by  
several Democrats, it would not have  
succeeded had there not been a very  
strong support secretly given to the  
Republicans by many Democrats who  
wanted the shipping bill to fail.

It is also a fact that during the last  
filibuster many Democrats in the senate  
preferred to see an extra session  
rather than a long adjournment.

**Long Session Needed.**

It has become evident that a longer  
session of congress is needed and that  
three months do not afford sufficient  
time in which to transact the important  
legislation. More than that, either a  
congressional or a presidential  
election has been held, and much that  
is new in politics has been pre-  
sented which should receive attention.  
Efforts have been made from time to  
time to change the constitution so as  
to do away with a short session of  
congress and to rearrange the national  
calendar so that a new congress would  
begin on the first of the year follow-  
ing the November elections and so that  
both sessions could be extended as ne-  
cessary to transact the public business.

**Cloture Fails.**

Cloture is only wanted when there is  
a filibuster on, and that is the very  
time when cloture cannot be adopted.  
When the Sixty-fourth congress began  
propositions were made to bring about  
cloture in the senate, and the Demo-  
cratic majority, which had suffered on  
account of the filibuster at the close of  
the Sixty-third congress, refused to  
present a cloture measure. It may come  
in time, but it will take long.

**Lane's Glasses.**

Senator Lane of Oregon was making  
an argument against the Underwood  
amendment reducing the tax on oleo-  
margarine, and, pausing for a moment,  
he rustled around on his desk for pa-  
pers that he wanted to read and said,  
"I find I have lost my glasses."

"Are they gold?" asked Senator  
Brandegee of Connecticut.  
"No, sir," replied the Oregon sen-  
ator, "they are not gold. They are filled  
gold glasses, and the lenses are made  
out of the bottom of a bottle. I have  
no doubt."

This seemed to amuse the senate, as  
they wondered what kind of glasses  
Senator Lane could be using.

**People and the Postoffice.**

The venerable ex-speaker of the  
house, Uncle Joe Cannon, always takes  
a lively interest in all legislation per-  
taining to the postoffice department.  
When the subject of changing very  
materially the present system in re-  
gard to postoffices throughout the

country was under discussion the for-  
mer speaker had this to say: "We  
ought to popularize the government.  
There is too much tendency toward  
centralization. The postoffice comes in  
closer contact with the people than  
any other branch of the government,  
and any change ought to be carefully  
considered."

Congressman Mondell in supporting  
Cannon and opposing the motion then  
before the house asserted that the propo-  
sition to have a postmaster in each  
county, with branch offices all through  
the county, would build up a great po-  
litical machine and would greatly dis-  
turb the present personal relations of  
the people with the postoffice.

**Penrose and Simmons.**

It is always very interesting to  
watch the fencing that occurs between  
Senators Simmons and Penrose, the  
chairman and the ranking Republican  
member of the committee on finance.  
This generally occurs when some finan-  
cial bill is under consideration. One  
day during discussion of the last re-  
venue bill Penrose asked Simmons if he  
would not accept an amendment.

"I declined to accept that amend-  
ment when it was offered yesterday,"  
remarked Simmons.  
"I thought the senator might have  
changed his mind overnight, as fre-  
quently happens," responded Penrose.  
"I am as strongly opposed to it as I  
was last night," declared Simmons.  
"So my hopes are shattered," remark-  
ed Penrose plaintively.  
"They frequently are," was Sim-  
mons' final comment.

**ELEVEN DROWN IN  
ATTEMPTING RESCUE**

Ocean City, Md., March 6.—Eleven  
members of the crew of the coast-  
guard steamer Yamacraw were drown-  
ed in attempting to assist the Ameri-  
can tanker Louisiana, which grounded  
on Little Gull Shoals off here.

Responding to distress signals from  
the Louisiana the Yamacraw launched  
a small boat manned with a crew of  
nine.

It almost immediately capsized in  
the tremendous sea and another boat  
with two boys in it was launched in  
an effort to save the other boat's  
crew. It met the same fate as the  
first boat and the entire eleven per-  
ished.

A third boat with four men cap-  
sized in the breakers, but the men  
were rescued.

The Louisiana, with its crew still  
aboard, is in an unchanged position.

**THIRTY THOUSAND IN LINE**

Inaugural Parade Proves Patriotic  
Demonstration.

Washington, March 6.—The inaugu-  
ral parade was more than a mere pro-  
cession as part of the ceremonies; it  
was a patriotic demonstration.

As the marching host of some 30,  
000 tramped from the Capitol to the  
White House the martial music and  
unmistakable note of national patri-  
otism recalled to many the days of more  
than fifty years ago when the federal  
armies marched in review over the  
same route.

The nation's fighting men—men  
who have fought the nation's wars  
and men who will be called to fight  
them in the future—all were repre-  
sented in the long line. Resplendent  
in gold and blue and gray they march-  
ed in review before the president.

**THEY WERE RUNDOWN**

How often we hear it said of a man  
or woman that "they were rundown in  
health" which accounts for their present  
sickness. For that reason it is im-  
portant that when you find you tire easily,  
when your nerves are troublesome or  
your work is irksome, you should  
strengthen your system immediately  
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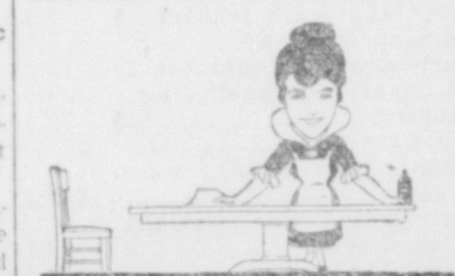
Army, navy, national guard, cavalry,  
infantry, sailors, soldiers, marines,  
veterans of the Civil war, Boy Scouts  
and Red Cross workers, all branches,  
past, present and prospective, of mili-  
tary service and many thousands of  
citizens were represented in the line.

**Taft to Tour South.**

New York, March 6.—Former Pres-  
ident Taft, it was announced, has can-  
celed all his paid lecture engage-  
ments from March 18 to April 4, so  
that he may tour the South and South-  
west in behalf of preparedness.

**Mother and Child Perish.**

Bismarck, N. D., March 6.—Rushing  
into her burning home to save the life  
of her four-year-old son Mrs. Mater,  
wife of Sebastian Mater, a farmer,  
living east of Linton, perished in the  
flames with her child.



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Soloist at Elks Hall, Brainerd  
Musical Club Auspices

### FOUR GROUPS OF SONGS

Has Expressed Her Delight at Sing-  
ing for the Club on Wednesday  
Evening This Week

In a letter to the Brainerd Mus-  
ical club, Mrs. Edna Swanson Ver-  
Haar has expressed her pleasure at  
singing for the Brainerd Musical club  
Her recital takes place Wednesday  
evening, March 7, at Elks Hall and  
a large audience is anticipated. This  
is her program:

1. "Lungi dal caro bene".....Secchi  
"O mio Fernando-La Favorita".....Donizetti
2. "Magical June".....Hilton-Turvey  
"Deep River".....Burleigh  
"The Sleep That Flits on Baby's  
Eyes".....Carpenter  
"April Morn".....Batten
3. "Dawn in the Desert".....Ross  
"June".....Downing  
"Min aelskades namm".....Abt  
"Titania".....Peterson-Berger
4. "The Spirit-Flower".....Campbell-Tipton  
"Inter Nos".....MacFadyen  
"Cradle Song".....MacFadyen  
"Spring's Singing".....

These press comments are added  
tending to show the appreciation ex-  
pressed of her wonderful singing:

From Minneapolis Daily News—  
"Mrs. Edna Swanson Ver Haar appeared  
as soloist and sang two operatic arias.  
This young singer has a voice that  
is full of promise, being rich,  
full, of good compass, and well con-  
trolled. The audience applauded her  
enthusiastically."

From Minneapolis Evening Tri-  
bune—"Yesterday's assisting artist  
was Mrs. Edna Swanson Ver Haar, a  
young Swedish contralto of American  
birth and training. Miss Ver Haar  
is a beautiful girl with a beautiful  
voice which she uses with much dis-  
cretion. There will be every reason  
to rank this very young artist  
among the many notably fine contral-  
tos produced by this country."

From Minneapolis Journal—"The  
soloist with the Minneapolis Sym-  
phony was Edna Swanson Ver Haar,  
a young Chicago contralto. The pur-  
ity of her voice, more of mezzo than  
contralto quality, was appealing."

From Selma, Ala., Times—"Mrs.  
Ver Haar was a beautiful woman and  
showed herself the possessor of a re-  
markably fine contralto voice, rich  
and full."

From Selma, Ala., Journal—"Mrs.  
Ver Haar is known the country over  
for her beautiful voice and her en-  
gagement by the Music Study club  
was the crowning event of a long list  
of brilliant achievements."

From Meridian, Miss., Dispatch—  
"There was no disappointment in the  
audience last night, for Edna Swan-  
son Ver Haar sang with deep tones,  
liquid and clear in a pure contralto  
voice. Her program was mostly in  
English. Her duo of Italian Arias of  
the first group were the most dif-  
ficult. Her enunciation in these and  
the rest of the program was clear  
and distinct. When the singer  
gave in tenderest and sweetest tones  
that exquisite "Cradle Song," the  
audience already in love with the  
singer, was ready to capitulate. It  
was an exquisitely arranged program.  
Her wonderful blonde beauty cap-  
tures the audience as well as her  
marvelous beauty."

### SHARPS AND FLATS

Irene Evans plays two violin solos  
next Saturday.

You should hear Robert Hitch and  
Evert Perrin play duets.

Edwin Lee played a solo at the  
Presbyterian church Sunday.

Harold Dorsey came up from Pil-  
lager to attend the symphony re-  
hearsal.

Pupils of the school will give a  
string number at the K. C. hall Fri-  
day evening.

Who broke "Billie's" cello? A  
handsome reward to the guilty party  
to 'fesses up.

The high school orchestra everyone  
says is better than ever before and we  
agree with them.

The Choral club meets tonight at  
Folsom's music store and a very  
large attendance is desired.

Little Helen Keeley of Aitkin, never  
misses a Saturday. She will be  
heard in a violin solo on a future Sat-  
urday program.

Edwin Harris Bergh, Jr., aged 2½  
years, received his first lesson yester-  
day on his own violin but didn't seem  
to have an ear for music.

Pupils who played at the "Talk on  
Music" last Saturday, were Edwin  
Lee, Helen Frost, Kathleen Gemmell,  
Alice Johnstone and Lester Breden-  
berg.

M. Kaprios, night cook at the  
Dairy Lunch, is quite a violinist and  
can play hundreds of Greek melo-  
dies by ear. He started the study of  
violin last week.

The first rehearsal of the "Ballata"  
by Popini for string orchestra, was  
held last night. It will be heard at  
the Musical club on Mrs. Gemmell's  
day during the early part of April.

Franklin Rice, who is playing violin  
in Staples' New Palace Theatre, is  
making a name for himself. Few  
people in Staples had ever heard him  
play and it has proven quite a sur-  
prise to his many friends.

Ben Zakariassen is making his violin  
talk these days. He has done it  
by work. Other pupils in many cases  
blame their teacher for not getting  
there but the truth of the matter is  
that they lack ambition.

The Symphony orchestra rehearsal  
last night was attended by nearly  
every member. Mr. Bergh predicts  
that patrons of the forthcoming con-  
cert will enjoy the orchestral music  
more than on any previous occasion.

At the "Talk on Music" next Sat-  
urday, a number of Mr. Bergh's pu-  
pils will be heard in duets and solos.  
The Junior orchestra will also play  
two numbers. The talk will deal  
with different kinds of musical in-  
struments. Prof. Wm. Graham will  
play a triple tongue cornet solo.

First Congregational Aid  
The Ladies' Aid society of the First  
Congregational church will be en-  
tertained by Mrs. C. W. Hoffman and  
Mrs. Abbie Smith at the home of the  
former on Wednesday afternoon.

Catholic Forester Aid  
The Woman's Catholic Forester Aid  
will meet Wednesday afternoon at the  
home of Mrs. Phil. Flanagan, 422  
North Third street.

## Two American Women Who Died in Laconia Disaster and Two Others Who Escaped



MRS. ALBERT HARRIS HOY  
MRS. FRANK E. HARRIS



MISS ELIZABETH HOY  
MRS. HENRY G. BOSTON

Mrs. Albert Harris Hoy and her  
daughter Miss Elizabeth Hoy of Chi-  
cago and London died from exposure  
in the open boat they took after the  
Laconia was torpedoed by a German  
submarine. Mrs. Frank E. Harris,  
wife of Lieutenant-Colonel Harris of  
the United States army, lived hero-

ically through the terrible night she  
spent in the boat, as did Mrs. Henry  
G. Boston, daughter of Granger  
Farwell of Chicago. Mrs. Boston's  
husband was a British subject, so, de-  
spite her birth, that takes her from  
the protection of the United States.

### Peterson-Stendal

Anton M. Stendal and Miss Anna E.  
Peterson were married Monday after-  
noon at 4 o'clock at the home of the  
bride's mother, Mrs. Ole Peterson,  
Rev. A. Sorenson officiating.

The best man was the bride's  
brother, Ole Peterson, and the bride-  
groom's sister, Miss Elna M. Sten-  
dal, was the bridesmaid.

Relatives and many friends were  
present. The happy couple received  
a great number of beautiful presents.  
The wedding supper was served at 5  
in the evening. American beauties  
graced the table which was resplend-  
ent with a wedding cake and many  
other delicacies.

The young folks will make their  
future home at Roy, Montana, where  
Mr. Stendal has accepted a position  
as manager of a co-operative eleva-  
tor.

The Dispatch joins their many  
friends in extending its best wishes  
for their continued happiness and  
prosperity.

### Baptist Ladies' Aid

The Ladies' Aid society of the First  
Baptist church will be entertained by  
Mrs. G. A. Beale and Mrs. H. A.  
Knapp, at the home of the former,  
123 Main street, on Wednesday af-  
ternoon. A large attendance is de-  
sired.

### Ladies' Guild Meeting

The Ladies' Guild of the Episcopal  
church will meet on Wednesday at  
2:30 p. m. at the Guild rooms.

### SPEAKERS RAP PRESIDENT

One Reichstag Member Calls Wilson  
a Theorist.

Berlin, March 6.—"President Wilson  
is a theorist, remote from the world,  
who looks upon the world as a chem-  
ist does a retort. He does not know  
Europe, but considers himself justified  
to be her teacher," said Herr Strass-  
mann, National party leader, in the  
reichstag. He adds:

"German-Americans did everything  
to prevent a rupture. They thor-  
oughly understood Germany's struggle  
for existence. Wilson once welcomed  
them as those men who could be  
proud their country was Germany."

Herr Hausmann of the People's party  
said:  
"The noble traditions of the Ameri-  
can country are set with our assail-  
ants as the eleventh adversary against  
us, already engaged in self-defense  
against ten enemies."

### MOVE TO QUELL REBELLION

Cuban Congress Suspends Constitu-  
tional Guarantees.

Havana, March 6.—President Men-  
ocal sent a message to congress re-  
questing authority to suspend the con-  
stitutional guarantees and asking for  
appropriations necessary to quell the  
rebellion.

The bill was passed by congress af-  
ter a two-hour session.

## HONOR ROLL IN HIGH SCHOOL

Goodly List Attains Average of 90  
Per Cent or Over for Fourth  
Six Weeks Period

JOHN DOWNIE SCORES 95 1-5

Henry Lagerquist Second With 94  
2-5 Per Cent—Seniors Stand  
Highest in Scholarship

The following students have at-  
tained the honor roll in the high  
school for the fourth six weeks pe-  
riod, through obtaining an average of  
90% or above:

Seniors—Quintis Blackburn, John  
Downie, Marie Gibson, Hilding Ny-  
lund, John Peters, Gladys Peterson,  
Charles Scarlet.

Juniors—Ruth Alberts, Albert  
Backen, Violet Cregar, Ellen Dillan,  
Gerhart Flaata, Georgia Frost, Hen-  
ry Lagerquist, Clifford Larson, Clem-  
ent McComas, Ruth Thayer, Ruth  
White.

Sophomores—Henry Bakkila, Min-  
nie Budd, Anna Dugan, Rae Hanna-  
way, Averil Jones, Mildred O'Brien,  
Dagmar Olsen, Eva Peterson, Viola  
Porter, John Thabes, Kathleen Weisz,  
Arden White, Lora Willey, Marguer-  
ite Wright, Edna Young.

Freshmen—Elsie Anderson, Edith  
Bartsch, Clara Hamre, Ruth Linn,  
Helen McCaffrey, Wilma McFerran,  
Clarence Reimstad, Gladys Young.

Highest honors for the period go to  
John Downie with an average of  
95 1-5 percent, and second honors to  
Henry Lagerquist with an average of  
94 2-5 per cent.

The class averages are as follows:  
Seniors 86.09, Juniors 85.57, Sopho-  
mores 85.49, Freshmen 84.45.

These are given so that parents  
may compare the standing of the in-  
dividual pupil with the general av-  
erage of all the members of their  
class. The general average of all  
grades is 85.18 per cent.

Because they obtained a grade of  
95 or above in the subjects named,  
these pupils are entitled to special  
mention:

- John Downie, English 97, Chemis-  
try 95, Am. History 96.  
Helen Frost, English 95.  
Marie Gibson, English 96.  
Hilding Nylund, Chemistry 95.  
John Peters, English 95.  
Charles Scarlet, German 95, Eng-  
lish 97.  
Ruth Alberts, stenography 95.  
Violet Cregar, English 96, Modern  
History 96.  
Georgia Frost, stenography 96.  
Vernon Gorton, bookkeeping 96.  
Henry Lagerquist, English 95,  
bookkeeping 95, stenography 95.  
Clifford Larson, English 95.  
Clement McComas, English 95,  
Agriculture 95.  
Ruth Thayer, first year science 96.  
Ruth White, English 95.  
Anne Dugan, English 95, Agrono-  
my 96.  
Averil Jones, physiology 96.  
Viola Porter, English 95.  
John Thabes, Ancient History 96.  
Edna Young, English 95, Ancient  
History 97.  
Albert Buscher, English History  
95.  
Clara Hamre, Science 95.  
Ruth Wilson, Domestic Science  
95.  
Lora Willey, bookkeeping 96.

### NOTED REPUBLICAN DIES

Amos Musselman Was Candidate for  
Governor of Michigan in 1912.  
Grand Rapids, Mich., March 6.—  
Amos Musselman, one of the most  
prominent Republicans in Michigan  
and candidate for governor in 1912,  
died here. He had been suffering with  
a chronic ailment. Mr. Musselman  
was sixty-six years old and is surviv-  
ed by his widow.

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when it is taken the pain in the chest disappears, the fever sub-  
sides and the whole body becomes more comfortable."

Then again, the after effects of Influenza are often even more  
distressing than the disease itself, but they can be avoided if  
you use

## Chamberlain's Cough Remedy

Though the greatest danger from this disease is Pneumonia,  
I have never known a single case of Influenza to result in it when  
Chamberlain's Cough Remedy was freely given. The persistent  
cough that frequently follows Influenza can be relieved by  
Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and should not be allowed to  
run on until it becomes troublesome."

Yours for Health —Granny Chamberlain

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keeps you awake at night and drains  
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New Discovery is a pleasant balsam  
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promptly effective. It soothes the ir-  
ritated membrane and kills the cold

germs; your cough is soon relieved.  
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## POSTAL SAVINGS SAFE

The severance of diplomatic relations with Germany caused considerable alarm among foreign born depositors in the postal savings banks throughout the country, but they have been assured that under no circumstances would their money be seized by the government. In reassuring the anxious depositors that they were perfectly safe in their financial investments President Wilson said:

"The government of the United States will in no circumstances take advantage of a state of war to take possession of property to which international understandings and the recognized law of the land give it no just claim or title. It will scrupulously respect all private rights alike of its own citizens and of the subjects of foreign states."

The move started by the Chamber of Commerce for better fire protection in Brainerd should meet with the hearty approval of the people throughout the city. The time has arrived when this city should be in the front rank regarding the protection of property from destruction from the flames as well as other municipal advancements, and the city council will have performed its duty if that body takes the matter up for adjustment or recommends that the incoming council give it the attention that its importance warrants. It is a matter of sufficient importance to be given serious consideration by the city administration, and especially so from the standpoint of insurance and the effect the reconstruction along the lines pointed out would have in giving protection to property and reducing insurance rates.

The sale of red cross Christmas seals, the penny holiday tokens, raised a million dollars in 1916 for the fight against tuberculosis in the states and communities in which the seals are sold. The Christmas campaign for these sales began in 1908 and have been an annual feature since, some \$4,206,051 having been realized since that time and the annual receipts are increased each year. The press of the country is given full credit by the association for directly and indirectly contributing to the alleviation of human suffering and increasing human happiness by the cooperation unflinchingly given in advertising and urging the necessity of the movement.

A bill before the legislature provides that all candidates for public office undergo an examination before the live stock sanitary board as to their mental, moral and physical qualifications, and that each candidate as he or she approaches said board for examination shall carry in his or her right hand a bunch of spinach and take an oath never to retire from any office until kicked out by the vox populi. Close connection with the legislators and a review of his own qualifications has evidently caused the "mover of the bill" to see the necessity.

A. L. Hamilton, former postmaster and now publisher of the Aitkin Republican, has been elected president of the Commercial Club of that city and will give that organization the benefit of his knowledge of the needs of Aitkin and the methods whereby the greatest advancement may be obtained. His long residence and thorough understanding of affairs in his home city should be a valuable asset to the club, and every live town should have an organization of this kind officered by men who know.

Spade up your back yards and use every available inch of ground for garden purposes, but save the worms.

Is the advice of the Bemidji Pioneer. Yes, fish with the garden stuff makes a pretty good substitute for meat and it all tends to reduce the H. C. L. Besides the legislature is taking care of the frogs.

Meal tickets are no more and rice and spaghetti take the place of potatoes in St. Paul restaurants. If you want the succulent spud with your meal you will find it on the "extra" list.

The Winnipeg city council has advised the restriction of the exportation of fish, potatoes, cattle and food-stuffs of all kinds to Minnesota and North Dakota from Manitoba to prevent a possible food shortage there.

Scarcely a week goes by without the announcement of the consolidation or suspension of a newspaper in the northwest. This week it is the Moorhead Citizen, and it has been merged with the News of that place.

The I. W. W.'s on the Mesabi Iron range have sent a protest against war to President Wilson. They evidently feel that they can get plenty of fighting right here at home and real war might interfere with it.

## TRENCH RAIDING IS MAIN ACTIVITY

London, March 6.—Except for the front in France, where the British and French are opposing the Germans, there have been only the usual out-post engagements and bombardments.

Around Arras and near Ghinchy the British troops have carried out successful raids against German positions, according to London. Near Arras, King George's men struck at two places and inflicted many casualties on the Germans.

Near Bouchavesnes the Germans endeavored to wrest from the British the positions captured Sunday, but met with repulse, London says.

The French counter attacked north of Bois Caubert, where the Germans had made a gain at one point in an attack delivered over a front of one and three-fourths miles, and retained part of the captured elements, Paris reports, and adds that elsewhere than in the Bois Caubert the Germans were repulsed with heavy casualties Sunday.

The weather on the Russian front has again turned bitterly cold, impeding operations there.

## BRITISH ANNOUNCE FEBRUARY LOSSES

New York, March 6.—Official figures from the British admiralty made public here at the office of the consul general of Great Britain show that during February ninety-four British merchant ships were destroyed by mines or submarines.

Of this number sixty-one ships were of 1,600 tons or over and thirty-three under 1,600 tons. In addition to the merchant ships twenty-nine fishing vessels of British register were sunk. It also was reported that during the month sixty-seven British merchant vessels were unsuccessfully attacked by submarines, as shown by reports on file with the admiralty up to and including March 4.

The figures show that the number of merchant vessels of all nationalities or more than 100 tons each and exclusive of local or fishing craft which arrived at and departed from British ports were as follows:

Vessels arrived, 9,463.  
Vessels sailed, 9,124.

The foregoing figures do not include losses of ships of Great Britain's allies, or those of neutral nations, which, the admiralty stated, are not available.

The number of German submarines captured or sunk, the admiralty says, will not be made public.

"The general situation," the admiralty announced, "is considered quite satisfactory."

VON STRAUSSBURG MADE AUSTRIAN STAFF CHIEF.  
Berlin, March 6.—"Vienna reports that Field Marshal Arz von Straussburg has been appointed chief of the general staff instead of Field Marshal Conrad von Hotzendorf, who will be employed at another important post," says the Overseas News agency.

## SPY GETS LIFE SENTENCE

British Authorities Commute Death Penalty Imposed.

London, March 6.—The following official announcement was made here: "A prisoner charged with espionage was tried by the general courtmartial in London in February and was found guilty and sentence of death was pronounced. The finding was confirmed, but the sentence was commuted to penal servitude for life."

## British Premier Visits Welsh Birthplace



David Lloyd George, premier of Great Britain and Ireland, is here shown with his son, walking through the Welsh village in which he was born. It is the most recent photograph of the man on whom Great Britain depends to save her from conquest by Germany.

## THE CITY MANAGERS

(A Series of articles on a new type of municipal government, which is spreading rapidly)

## VI—Hardin of Amarillo, One of the Small Town Managers.



M. H. HARDIN, City Manager, Amarillo, Tex.

He had a lively time "herding" his commissioners, but he succeeded in making them keep clear of administrative detail and give him a free hand, unhampered by red tape. Then he proceeded to hustle things along and get results. He found it more fun than politics.

Hardin had to deal with a people who were used to very little law and doing very much as they pleased. But he set his mind on getting the enforcement of a pure food and milk ordinance. It took several months to get the dairymen to see things his way, but he finally succeeded in getting everybody in line. He showed true appreciation of the spirit of the city manager plan by going outside the community to get a trained veterinarian to assist him in his work.

The financial situation when Hardin took hold, was rather serious:

## ORCHARD AND GARDEN

Spring is Best Time to Set Out all Kinds of Fruits—Wood Ashes for Garden Fertilizer

Spring is the best time to set out all kinds of fruits.

No place is too small to afford some garden or plant growth.

Do not cover fire seed deeply. Put on just enough dirt to cover the seed.

Take cuttings of all house plants that are to be planted out next spring.

Most of the bulbs put into the cellar last fall are well rooted now and ready to bring into the living rooms. Go over the vegetables and fruits in the cellar and pick out those that are decayed.

Use wood ashes as a garden fertilizer, working them into the soil of rose beds and about fruit plants.

The roots of rhubarb put into the cellar last fall ought to be giving a good supply of stalks now which will be relished as fresh sauce.

Bring in branches of plums, pussy willows, and poplars and put them in

to water. They will open up and add brightness to the room.

Plants like sweet alyssum, nasturtiums, and some vegetables, as radish and lettuce, may be grown in a flat or window box if no other place is available.

Good topics for discussion in the farmers' club this month are: The Vegetable Garden. The Best Potatoes to Plant. How to Secure a Good Strawberry Bed.

The Best Shrubs to Plant for a Succession of Flowers all the Year. The Best Annuals for Cut Flowers.

The Best Three Flowering Perennial Plants—LeRoy Cady, Associate Horticulturist, University Farm, St. Paul.

That draggy, listless, oppressed feeling generally results from constipation. The intestines are clogged and the blood becomes poisoned. Relieve this condition at once with Dr. King's New Life Pills; this gentle, non-gripping laxative is quickly effective. A dose at bedtime will make you feel brighter in the morning. Get a bottle today at your druggist, 25c.—Adv.

## MOVE TO LIMIT SENATE DEBATE

Strong Opposition Develops to President's Wishes.

## PLAN PROBABLY WILL FAIL

Republicans Predict That Minority Party Almost to a Man Will Oppose Such a Rule and Openly Declare Some Democrats Will Side With Them.

Washington, March 6.—If senate Democrats, at their caucus, decide to stand behind the proposal to limit debate in the senate, as the president demands following the defeat by filibuster of the armed neutrality bill, the upper house may spend the summer in Washington instead of disposing of its work in a few days as usual. Even then the adoption of cloture is declared unlikely.

Many senators who have participated in various such fights in the past believe it would be more difficult to get the senate to agree to a limited debate rule than it would be to get a declaration of war against Germany or to pass the armed neutrality bill that died because the rules say a senator cannot be taken from the floor when he wishes to keep on talking.

There has been no caucus among opponents of cloture, but Republicans predicted that the minority party almost to a man would oppose such a rule and openly declared there would be Democrats to side with them.

Senator Owen, who has been the chief proponent of a limited debate rule for many years, is prepared to bring the subject of cloture before the caucus and thirty-three senators, most of them Democrats, have signed an agreement to support the rule he proposes.

## May Arouse Public Opinion.

The highest present asset of those who wish a change in the rules is the president and the public opinion his statement denouncing the present rules is expected to arouse.

Never before in the history of the many suggestions that have been made for such a change has a president openly aligned himself in its favor, nor has public attention generally been called to what he considers a fault in its method of procedure.

The president is expected to continue his insistence for a change, but even optimistic champions of cloture think it will be difficult to keep public interest centered on such a question.

A majority can force open debate, but this would offer opportunity for public discussion of the present situation and possibly strengthen the European opinion that congress is divided in supporting the president in his international policy.

The Republicans, aside from any personal views they may have about the president's statement and its intent to force a change in legislative procedure, will oppose the proposed rule just as minorities always oppose it because unlimited debate is one of their most potent weapons.

The Progressive Republicans who participated in the killing of the armed neutrality bill are understood to be exceedingly bitter over the president's statement denouncing them.

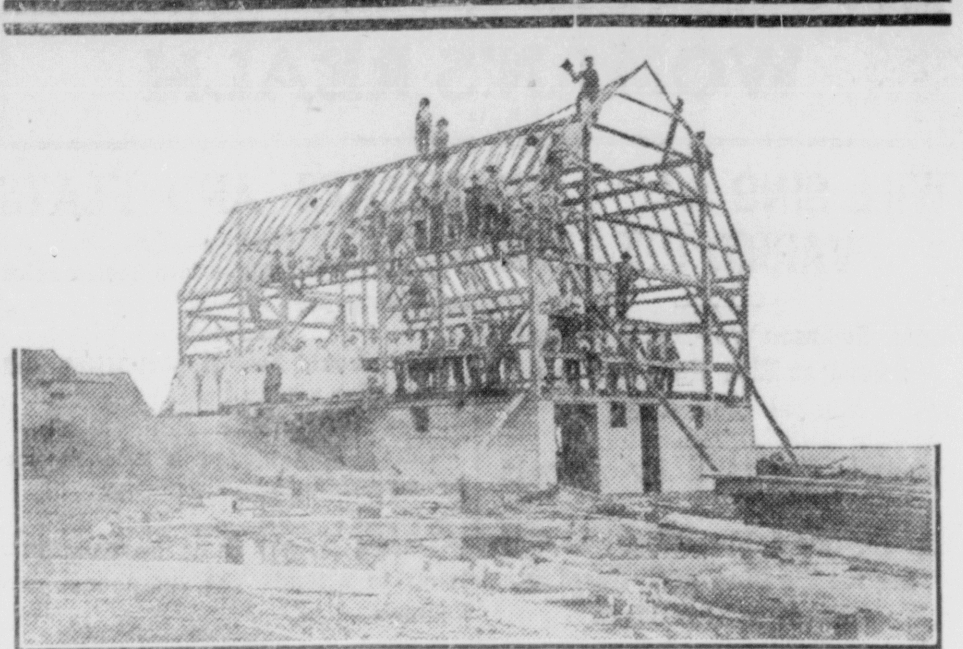
## ARMY IS BUYING SUPPLIES

Advantage in Price Given for Speedy Delivery.

New York, March 6.—Bids for the largest amount of clothing and other supplies for the department of the East of the United States army since the Civil war, according to army officers, were opened at the department quartermaster's office here.

The supplies are for distribution among the quartermaster depots in this city, Boston, Philadelphia, Chicago and St. Louis.

The bidder guaranteeing delivery in the shortest possible time would be given an advantage in price, it was said by army officers.



## Farm Labor is Apt to be Very Scarce This Year

Good help has been hard to get for some time, especially during the busiest seasons, and the prospects right now seem to indicate a worse shortage this year.

Why not build that new barn early this spring, and plan it so that your barn work will be reduced to a minimum. You might be able to get along without one farm hand. A great many farmers have done this.

A modern barn, planned and equipped to make the work easy to do quickly will surely reduce the hours required to do the work and of course reduce the labor costs.

We have a splendid line of material ready for modern barns and we can figure yours to your entire satisfaction.

## Winnor-Adams Lumber Co.

Down Town Office 310 6th St. S.

Yard Office 111 Laurel St.



YOU notice a fine regard for appearance among the officers from Roundsmen to Captain—that's one reason they are so keen for W-B CUT Chewing. The pass-word among these gentlemanly fellows is "If you won't take a little chew don't take any." No need to disfigure the face, when a nibble of rich tobacco gives more satisfaction than a wad of ordinary stuff—also less grinding and spitting. Take a tip from the officer on W-B.

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Snow Shovels  
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Skates  
Many Other Useful Articles

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## OLD PAPERS FOR SALE AT THIS OFFICE



# M. & I. OFFICES MAY LEAVE CITY

Council Refuses Permission to Cut a Doorway in Room of Company Headquarters

## OFFER TO REPLACE THE SAME

Company to Use Same Material for Door as the Rest of the Finishings in the Room

By a vote of 6 to 4 Monday evening, the city council refused to permit the Minnesota & International Railway company, tenants of the second floor of the city hall, to cut a doorway from Mr. Gemmell's office to an adjoining room, even after the railway company offered to replace the same when it removed from the building and to further use the same material for the door frame, etc., so that it would harmonize with the rest of the rooms.

When the Dispatch asked Mr. Gemmell this morning what he thought of the city council's action, he stated that the council undoubtedly knew what was best for the interests of the city and the city's public building, and had no criticism or comment to make on it.

He added that he was told that during the discussion last night it developed there was a feeling that the rental paid by the railway company was too low.

In that connection he would remind the council that a bargain is a bargain and that the rental was agreed on before the offices were leased.

"It seems rather late and questionable taste to raise that question now," said Mr. Gemmell. "However, this company has no desire to be the city's tenants so long as we are considered unsatisfactory from any standpoint and Mr. Downie, our auditor, and myself are leaving for St. Paul this afternoon to make the necessary arrangements for the early vacation of the building."

Mr. Gemmell desired the Dispatch to extend to the council the company's thanks for housing it temporarily at the time it lost its former quarters.

## REPAIRING TURBINE

Electric Power Shut Off at Shops Because of Accident Throws Many Men Out of Work

Men of the machine shops, blacksmiths, boilermakers and the foundry have had a vacation of two days, Monday and Tuesday, caused by an accident to a turbine at the Northern Pacific shops power station, which it is expected will be repaired by tonight.

In order to catch up in their work, the blacksmiths may go on duty tonight.

With the turbine out of commission and the auxiliary not to be relied on, power was out of the question until repairs were made.

## RESOLUTION

Be It Resolved by the City Council of the City of Brainerd:

That it is expedient, in the opinion of said City Council, to issue to the State of Minnesota the bonds of said City for the purpose of paying and taking up Fifteen Thousand Dollars funding bonds and Twenty-five Thousand Dollars Bridge bonds of said City, in denominations of One Thousand Dollars, with interest at four per cent per annum payable annually. Fifteen Thousand Dollars to mature July 1st, 1927, and Twenty-five Thousand Dollars to mature July 1st, 1937.

Be It further resolved, that a special election be held in said City on the 3d day of April 1917 for the purpose of voting on the issuance of the aforesaid bonds, in conformity with this Resolution.

Adopted March 5th, 1917.  
F. A. FARRAR, President.

Attest:  
A. MAHLUM, City Clerk.

Approved March 6th, 1917.  
R. A. BEISE, Mayor.

Published March 6th, 1917.

Neglected Colds bring Pneumonia. Look out.

**CASCARA QUININE**

The old family remedy—in tablet form—safe, sure, easy to take. No nausea—no unpleasant after effects. Cures colds in 24 hours—Crisp in 3 days. Money back if it fails. Get the genuine box with Red Top and Mr. Hill's picture on it—25 cents. At Any Drug Store

## SUPT. W. C. COBB IS RE-ELECTED

Popular Superintendent of City Schools Receives Unanimous Vote of Board

## MACHINISTS RESOLUTIONS READ

Urge a Minimum Salary of \$65 a Month for Teachers in the Public Schools

Members of the school board formed a quorum Monday evening, Hugo A. Kaatz presiding. Absent members were Messrs. Wise, LaBar, Moilanen and Forsberg.

Supt. W. C. Cobb was re-elected at the same salary, receiving the unanimous vote in informal and formal ballots.

Supt. Cobb submitted his reports on the schools and book rooms which were accepted and placed on file.

The finance committee submitted its O. K. on the quarterly reports ending January 31 of secretary and treasurer.

Resolutions of the machinists lodge adopted after a meeting with the teachers committee of the board, took cognizance of salaries paid Brainerd school teachers, asserted they were lower than those paid teachers in other communities, and urged the adoption by the board of a minimum salary for teachers of Brainerd public schools of not less than \$65 a month.

"That the teachers committee and Supt. Cobb be commended for the earnest consideration given the State Teachers Employment Bureau in the past and for their pledge of patronage to the State Bureau in the future."

## School Report

Report of punctuality and attendance for February, 1917:

Name	% Att.	Tard.
Amy Freeberg	99.1	2
R. R. Denison	98.5	13
Hannah Redy	97.9	0
Irene Lowey	97.9	0
Nora Smith	97.1	1
Mary L. Small	97.0	1
Fleda Canniff	96.9	1
Jenny B. Watt	96.9	6
Sara A. Irwin	96.7	1
Lurline Gutzler	96.5	4
Mabel Edmunds	96.2	6
R. M. Williams	96.0	0
Edna Allen	95.9	2
Elizabeth Walsh	95.6	4
Luella B. Austin	95.6	2
Louise Barrett	95.6	1
Sara Koop	95.2	6
Crete L. Gilmore	95.1	6
Bertha K. Lawrence	95.1	0
Clara E. Case	95.1	0
Ella Mitchell	95.0	0
Signe Beck	94.8	4
Elizabeth Somers	94.7	1
Anna B. Patterson	94.7	2
Margaret Somers	94.6	1
Elsie Lund	94.1	2
Hattie M. Sager	94.1	1
Katherine Jones	93.9	6
Lola A. Winter	93.9	1
Mrs. F. M. Hagberg	93.8	9
J. H. McKay	93.6	1
Mary T. Walsh	93.5	4
Katherine Cosgrove	93.4	1
Mae A. Hanson	92.9	2
Ottile Borchardt	92.7	6
Louise Anderson	92.6	7
L. Charlotte Anderson	92.5	2
Vera Matthews	91.5	8
Elizabeth Heley	91.3	2
Clara M. Early	91.2	5
Anna Anderson	90.9	2
Frances M. Funk	90.0	0

## CHAMBER OF COMMERCE FIFE AND DRUM CORPS

There will be a meeting at the Chamber of Commerce Wednesday evening, March 7th, at eight o'clock of all members interested in forming a fife and drum corps. Tell a friend.  
F. E. STOUT, Chairman H. & L. Com.

## INFORMATION WANTED

Will the party who wrote Mrs. C. A. Robinson, Strathcona, Canada, regarding the sale of property, and who failed to sign name to the communication, please address R. W. Robinson, Staples, Minn., giving name and address.  
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## Worms Easily Removed

Mother, if your child whines, is fretful and cries out in sleep, he is probably suffering from worms. These parasites drain his vitality and make him more susceptible to serious disease. Quickly and safely kill and remove the worms from your child's system with Kickapoo Worm Killer. This pleasant candy laxative in tablet form quickly relieves the trouble and your child brightens up. Get Kickapoo Worm Killer at your druggist, 25c.—Advtd.

An egg bag of crocheted cotton is useful to boil the eggs in, saves difficulty in getting them out of the water and also saves breakage.

## UNCLE SAM WANTS MANY EMPLOYEES

Navy Yards at Bremerton, Washington and at Washington D. C., Appeal for More Men

## EXAMINATIONS ARE PENDING

No Educational Subjects Given, Rated According to Physical Ability, Training Experience

Notices have been received from the navy yards at Bremerton, Washington, and at Washington, D. C., of the increased need for employees of the following classes, in excess of the local supply, examinations being now pending for March 15th:

	Per Day
Acetylene operator	\$3.05 to \$4.24
Anglemaster	\$3.52 to \$4.48
Boilermaker	\$3.12 to \$4.48
Boatbuilder	\$3.04 to \$4.56
Driller	\$2.40 to \$3.56
Forger, heavy	\$3.92 to \$5.20
Frame bender	\$3.68 to \$4.96
Hammer runner	\$2.40 to \$3.04
Machinist, all-round	\$3.60 to \$4.56
Machinist, toolmaker	\$3.60 to \$4.56
Melter, open hearth	\$4.24 to \$6.00
Molder for coremaking	\$3.52 to \$4.48
Molder, steel casting	\$3.52 to \$4.48
Patternmaker	\$3.68 to \$4.96
Pipefitter	\$3.04 to \$4.32
Riveter	\$2.04 to \$4.08
Sheet metal worker	\$3.04 to \$4.80
Shipfitter	\$3.04 to \$4.72
Shipwright	\$3.04 to \$4.32
Shipwright	\$3.12 to \$4.55
Toolmaker	\$3.28 to \$4.64

No educational subjects are given in the examinations for such positions, and applicants are not required to appear any place for examination, but are rated according to their physical ability, and training and experience, as shown by their applications.

In order to be considered applications must be filed with the boards of employment at the navy yards by close of business on March 15th.

Detailed circulars of information, and application forms, can be secured from J. M. Shoemaker, St. Paul, district secretary of the Eighth U. S. Civil Service District.

## VOTE TO REFUND \$40,000 CITY BONDS

(Continued from page 1)

\$39.30; Koop Merc. Co., \$40.12; Shipp-Gruenewald Co., \$2.45 and \$3.50; D. M. Clark & Co., \$13.48 and \$11.65; Julius Renter, \$50; Bert Finn, \$12; Mrs. V. Johnson, \$18; Swanson & Thon, \$4.42; D. M. Clark & Co., \$20.95; St. Joseph's hospital, \$13.55; Bert Finn, \$12; W. H. Tibbets, \$1.75; Robert Nelson, \$2.10; Henry Squires, \$25.81; F. H. McCaffrey, \$40.21; volunteer firemen February, \$95.50; volunteer firemen January, \$134.25; volunteer firemen December, \$126; Port Huron Machinery Co., \$19.20; D. Porcel, \$4; Ole Benson, \$17, \$30 and \$31.

## Stiff, Sore Muscles Relieved

Cramped muscles or aches following a cold or case of grippe are eased and relieved by an application of Sloan's Liniment. Does not stain the skin or clog the pores like many ointments of plaster and penetrates quickly without rubbing. Limber up your muscles after exercise, drive out the pains and aches of rheumatism, neuralgia, lumbago, strains, sprains and bruises with Sloan's Liniment. Get a bottle today. At all Druggists 25c.—Advtd.

## SLAIN IN ROW OVER STRAW

Farmer Shot and Killed by Section Foreman.

Becker, Minn., March 6.—Following a quarrel over some straw James Murphy, thirty-eight years old, section foreman, shot and killed C. D. Hamilton, a farmer living between Becker and Clear Lake.

The shooting occurred on the farm occupied by Hamilton and was witnessed by the victim's wife and two sons.

Murphy, who has lived in this vicinity all his life and is well known, is in jail here charged with murder. Hamilton was forty years old and has lived in this vicinity three years. Murphy and his two sons went to the Hamilton farm to get some straw, which he says he purchased from Wilson Bailey, a tenant on the place prior to Hamilton.

Murphy declared he did not use the gun he is permitted to carry because of his railway duties until Hamilton attacked him with a pitchfork.

Mrs. Hamilton says her husband had a pitchfork, but never attempted to use it. She says Murphy shot without provocation.

## Artist Wenzell Is Dead.

Englewood, N. J., March 6.—Albert Beck Wenzell, the artist, died of pneumonia at his home here. He had been ill only since last Wednesday. Mr. Wenzell was born in Detroit in 1864.

## Enough.

"My dear, do you want to go to the movies tonight?"  
"No, I've got enough of the movies. I've been watching two families go out of the block this morning and three coming into it."—Exchange.



## Our New Coats

We are now showing our new coats and we want you to see them. They are most beautiful—so beautiful that you must see to appreciate them. Why not come in and see them.

**H. F. MICHAEL CO.**

## FRUSTRATE PLOT TO AID GERMANY

Hoboken Police Arrest Man and Seize Explosives.

## CAME OVER SOON AFTER WAR

Suspect is a Native of Cologne and Was Found in a Hotel Room Which Had the Appearance of a Laboratory. Destruction of Ammunition Factories Was Main Object.

Hoboken, N. J., March 6.—With the arrest here of Fritz Kolb, a German, the authorities expressed the belief that they had frustrated a well developed plot to aid Germany by blowing up munition plants in this country engaged in turning out contracts for the entente allies.

The police said they found in Kolb's room two bombs which, according to rumors that had reached them, were to be sent to President Wilson.

After a preliminary investigation, however, they announce themselves as convinced that the plans of the alleged plotters had to do entirely with destroying war supplies and that no attack on the president's life was contemplated.

The police also said they had information which might help them in solving the Black Tom (N. J.) explosion and the destruction of the Kingsland (N. J.) plant of the Canadian Car and Foundry company in which large munition supplies for the entente allies were blown up.

Kolb was found in a small hotel, opposite the piers of the Hamburg-American line. His room more the appearance of a laboratory. Besides the two bombs the police said they found brass and copper tubing resembling that used in ships. The bombs were made of this material.

## Find New Kind of Powder.

There also were a flask of black powder, bottles containing gasoline, benzine and alcohol; tools, trinitrotoluol and black disc powder.

Experts from the New York detective bureau said the disc powder was new to them, but they believed it was similar to some used in Germany.

The bombs, the experts declared, were of a new type and had slow fuses. The explosive contents had not yet been identified. The workmanship of the bombs indicated ingenuity and skill. They were wrapped in a shirt which Kolb, they declared, admitted was his.

Kolb denied he made the bombs, but said, according to the police, that his room was used for making bombs by a man he knew only as "Karl," whom he met in a saloon. He declared he did not know the man's present whereabouts.

Kolb was born in Cologne, Germany, he said, and came to this country shortly after the war began. He had made several trips between this country and Mexico, he said, but not recently. At various times he worked as a barkeeper and waiter. He admitted he was a druggist.

Kolb is thirty-three years old. He lived at the hotel here five weeks.

## Fear of the Tree.

The first experiments at tree planting in London were sternly discouraged. A. D. Webster tells us in Town Planning that when London built his house in Porchester terrace, Bayswater—this was in the thirties—he planted a sumac by the side of the path opposite. The action was met by prompt and triumphant opposition on the part of the district surveyor, whose complaint was that it was "likely to shade the pathway and keep it damp." In the end the tree had to go.

## For 30 Days Only! Special Sale on Forks

Overstocked in Forks, we have made a below cost figure on the whole outfit and farmers and others buying now will

## SAVE MONEY

3 Tine Hay Forks.....	43c	5 Tine Manure Plain Forks 85c
4 Tine Hay Forks.....	58c	5 Tine Manure Strap Forks \$1
4 Tine Manure Forks.....	70c	6 Tine Manure Plain Forks 95c
		6 Tine Manure Strap Forks \$1.10

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MINNESOTA

## SOCIALISTS ARE AROUSED

Call German Note to Mexico Crowning Diplomatic Blunder.

London, March 6.—A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company from Amsterdam says:

"According to a Frankfurt telegram received here the German government has sent a wireless dispatch to Count von Bernstorff, former German ambassador to the United States, who is at sea returning to Germany, asking him to explain how the German note with regard to bringing Mexico and Japan into war with the United States was divulged."

The correspondent adds that the Socialist newspapers in Munich, Leipzig and Magdeburg criticize the note to Mexico as the crowning diplomatic blunder of Germany.

"My good man, I shall have to put you on a diet."

"Oh, don't, doctor! This bed is fine!"

—Lampoon.

In the District Court of the United States, for the Fifth Division, District of Minnesota.

In the Matter of Andrew Burud, Bankrupt.

To the Honorable Page Morris, Judge of the District Court of United States, for the District of Minnesota.

Andrew Burud, of Crosby, County of Crow Wing and State of Minnesota, in the said District, respectfully represents that on the 28th day of January, 1916, he was duly adjudicated a bankrupt under the Acts of Congress relating to Bankruptcy; that he has duly surrendered all his property and rights of property and has fully complied with all the requirements of said Acts and of the Orders of the Court touching his bankruptcy.

Wherefore the said Andrew Burud prays that he may be decreed by the Court to have a full discharge from all debts provable against his estate, under said Bankruptcy Acts, except such debts as are excepted by the law from such discharge.

Dated December 23rd, 1916.

ANDREW BURUD.

United States District Court, District of Minnesota, Fifth Division, ss.

On this 15th day of February A. D. 1917, on reading the foregoing petition, it is Ordered by the Court, that a hearing be had upon the same on the 26th day of April A. D. 1917, before said Court, at Duluth in said District, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon; and that notice thereof be published in the Brainerd Dispatch, a newspaper printed in said District, and that all known creditors and other persons in interest may appear at the said time and place and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered by the Court, that the Clerk shall send by mail to all known creditors copies of said petition and this order, addressed to them at their place of residence as stated.

Witness the Honorable Page Morris, Judge of the said Court, and the seal thereof, at Duluth in said District, on the 15th day of February, A. D. 1917.

(Seal of) CHARLES L. SPENCER, Clerk.  
By ARCH L. LeRUE, Deputy Clerk.

## WANTS

### HELP WANTED

WANTED—Walter at the Dairy Lunch. 519-2291f

WANTED—At the N. P. hospital, man for orderly work. Call this evening. 527-2321f

WANTED—Good girl for general housework. Mrs. Walter Wieland, No. 1 Bluff Ave. 511-2271f

### FOR RENT

FOR RENT—House at 209 Main street. Apply on premises. 530-2321f

FOR RENT—Two nice pleasant rooms with hot and cold water and bath. Enquire 502 Fifth street south. 517-2281f

FOR RENT—Two connecting rooms for housekeeping, furnished or unfurnished. 206 Kingwood St. 493-2211f

### FOR SALE

FOR SALE—At a bargain, our Studebaker delivery truck. Turcotte Bros. 528-2321f

FOR SALE—Young team, weight between 1100 and 1200, also wagon and harness. Inquire 506 Rosewood St. 510-2271f

FOR SALE—Two bedroom suites, two heaters and one range. Apply 601 2nd Ave. N. E. 526-2321f

FOR SALE—Six room house and 50 foot lot 124 2nd Ave. Electric lights, sewer connections and other modern conveniences. Inquire at premises. 522-2301f

FOR SALE—100 feet front on east end Norwood St. Very desirable building lots. Call 29-L in day time and 78-L in evening. 525-2311f

### MISCELLANEOUS

ROOM WANTED—Modern, by gentleman. Address XYZ, Dispatch. 523-2301f

WANTED—Cash register, show cases and counter. Call 133-R. 516-2271f

WANTED—500 cords of rock, \$5 cord. Northwest Paper Co. 437-2191f

WORK WANTED by young lady. Experienced in store work. Call 272-R. 512-2271f

WANTED—To list houses and vacant lots for sale; good prospects ahead. Nettleton. 531-2321f

LOST—Diamond stick pin. Return to H. L. Mahl, Tri-State Telephone Co. and receive reward. 524-2311f

LOST—Mounted Elks tooth with "G. E. M. 179" engraved on same. Finder return to Dispatch for reward. 529-2321f

WANTED—I have customers for residence property and vacant lots. List your property for sale with Jas. R. Smith, Sleeper block.



## SPORT NEWS

### Fans Organize Baseball Team

A meeting of fans took first steps to organize a baseball association for the season, electing president, Dr. I. C. Edwards; vice president, R. M. Sheets; secretary-treasurer, A. P. Drogseth.

Twenty to twenty-five fans were present, said Edward Wicklund, who all evinced a lively interest in the proceedings. These included John and Milton Mahlum, Vic Roderick, Ed Hall, D. A. Peterson, J. A. Carter, A. N. Brekke, Charles Gustafson, Wm. Cuddihy, Attorney Sherwood and others.

It was proposed to raise money by the printing of a score card and to give a dance.

Another meeting is to follow shortly to complete business arrangements.

It is expected to elect a manager next week who will have entire charge on the field. The board is expected to act in an advisory capacity.

News from Ironton is to the effect that \$1,000 was raised for two pitchers and a catcher. The Ironton club is now out for two infielders.

### When the Moon Is Eclipsed.

A curious feature of a total eclipse of the moon is the fact that although the earth's shadow is larger than the moon—though smaller than the earth—the silver rim of the eclipsed planet may be seen at total eclipse. This is due to the fact that rays of sunlight are refracted, or bent in, by the earth's atmosphere until they curve back to the edge of the moon.

### Both Happy.

"How do you like your room at the hotel?"

"Very much," answered the poetic young man. "From my window I have a beautiful view of the hills. I wish father could share it."

"Father is happy. From his window he has a beautiful view of the Sixteenth National bank."—Kansas City Journal.

## Fred Fulton Likely to Be Jess Willard's Next Opponent



Photo by American Press Association.

It now looks as if Fred Fulton will surely be Jess Willard's next opponent in the ring. The big Minnesotan has been displaying great form in his recent bouts and is the only man likely to give the champion heavyweight a real battle. Fulton has filled out somewhat during the past two months, although he never will be able to enter a fat man's race.

From his heels to his shoulders Fulton looks like a man who should be able to do some remarkable work in the ring. His long legs are as clean cut as a greyhound's, and his wide shoulders and sinewy arms indicate hitting ability. But his long, thin neck and fragile looking chin are not those of a successful fighting man. Like Bombardier Wells, he is built to give, but not to receive, punishment.

Like Wells, Fulton may become a very clever boxer. His natural speed and tremendously long reach make it easy for him to stand off and stab his opponent with lefts before the latter can get into range. Fulton evidently is aware that he cannot afford to exchange wallops on even terms with his more sturdy built rivals. He aims to become as clever as some of the little fellows instead of an unskilled bruiser like the great majority of the giants.

### Senate Kills Boxing Repeal Bill 31 to 35

(By United Press)  
St. Paul, March 6.—The senate today killed the boxing repeal bill, the vote being 31 to 35.

### Darcy and Dillon Matched to Fight

(By United Press)  
Denver, March 6.—Les Darcy and Jack Dillon have been matched to fight here, despite the fact that New York has barred Darcy.

### FOHL TO TRY DES JARDIEN.

Cleveland Manager Hopes to Make Hurler of Chicago Football Star.  
Paul Des Jardien, the former University of Chicago football star, has football fans eager for him to make good on the Cleveland ball club in 1917. Lee Fohl, manager of the Clevelanders, is a follower of the fall college sport and was deeply interested in the playing of Des Jardien.

"He is the best football player I ever saw," Fohl said. "He not only passes the ball, but gets down on the punts about as fast as the ends, and he is a deadly tackler. If I can develop him into half as good a pitcher as he is a football player I'll have one of the star twirlers in the league."

### NATIONAL GOLF TITLE PLAY.

Big Event to Be Held on Merion Club Links Aug. 20.

The national amateur golf championship tournament will begin on Aug. 20. An earlier date had been suggested, but W. C. Fownes, Jr., announced that the week of Aug. 20 has been approved by the executive committee of the United States Golf association.

This is about the same time as last year, when the tournament was held over the Merion Cricket club links, near Philadelphia, the first week in September.

## DANGER OF WAR EXISTS

### President Hopes to Maintain Peace.

### URGES AN AMERICA UNITED IN FEELING

### Wilson's Inaugural Address Covers Current Events.

Washington, March 6.—Sounding a new doctrine of internationalism and world peace President Wilson in his inaugural address urged "an America united in feeling, in purpose and in its vision of duty, of opportunity and of service."

He voiced the view that this unity must be an Americanism steeped in world spirit instead of the isolated national view of the past.

"We are provincials no longer," he declared.

"The tragic events of the thirty months of vital turmoil through which we have just passed have made us citizens of the world. There can be no turning back."

The president warned, however, that the United States may acquire a "more immediate association" with the war from armed neutrality.

His principal plea for world peace, spoken before the thousands attending his second inauguration, called for:

Limitation of world armaments.

All Nations Responsible.

Equal interest and responsibility of all nations for maintaining peace.

Equality of nations in all matters of right or privilege.

Destruction of the "armed balance of power."

That all the world should support no other power than the view that "governments derive all their just powers from the consent of the governed."

Freedom of seas equal to all.

Crushing of any attempts within a nation to organize or assist a revolution against another nation.

Electric with the spirit of patriotism, of Americanism, of a new world unity, the speech solemnly suggested that, despite the war fires raging and despite the possibility that this nation must take a broader hand, peace is coming soon.

"The shadows that now lie dark upon our path will soon be dispelled," the president declared.

Armed neutrality is our stand, he said, yet this may not suffice.

Are Compelled to Arm.

"We have been obliged to arm ourselves to make good our claim to a certain minimum of right and of freedom of action," he asserted.

"We stand in armed neutrality since it seems that in no other way can we demonstrate what it is we insist upon and cannot forego."

A hush followed this. Then gravely he continued:

"We may even be drawn on, by circumstances, not by our own purpose or desire, to a more active assertion of our rights as we see them and a more immediate association with the great struggle itself."

Any such step, he asserted, however, will be with unselfish purpose—not with any view of conquest or national aggrandizement.

The United States cannot, if it wishes, long stand apart in isolation—it must regard itself as a world entity, think and act in terms of this world spirit, he added.

### TONE OF PRESS CHANGES

London Papers Appreciate President Wilson's Position.

London, March 6.—President Wilson's inaugural address and his statements in reference to the obstructive tactics employed in the senate fill an important part of the news columns of the morning papers and are commented on with general sympathy for the president's difficulties in the present crisis.

The situation is compared to that in which Lincoln delivered his second inaugural address.

The universally appreciative references to the president offer a remarkable contrast to some which have appeared in certain quarters in the British press in the past.

The Post, which sees a triumph for President Wilson in the readiness of a great majority of congress to confer power which he asks, says:

"President Wilson has proved that with all his tact and caution he can act with instant resolution when occasion requires."

### Explosion Fatal to Two.

New Rockford, N. D., March 6.—A terrific explosion, resulting from pouring gasoline on supposedly dead coals, took the life of Mrs. Edward Hennings and her baby of Glenfield.

## Expert Advice For the Automobile Owner

### Queries and Replies Covering Matters of Importance to the Man Who Runs a Car

There is an irregular miss in my motor which is particularly noticeable at high speed. What may be the trouble?

The causes of an irregular miss at high speed are myriad. A sticking valve or a weak valve spring may produce this trouble. If so the former can be found by inspection, and the remedy is some oil on the valve stem unless the stem is warped by the heat, in which case it will need to be trued up in a lathe, while the latter can be found out by inserting a screwdriver between the coils of the valve springs, one by one, while the motor is running at high speed. If the missing stops when this is done the valve spring is weak and should be replaced. The action of the screwdriver between the coils of the spring is to increase its compression strength.

Sooted spark plugs, loose connections, spark plug points too near together, improper contact of the distributor brushes due to weak springs or worn brushes, breaker points too near together, leakage of current due to worn insulation or possibly loose magneto parts or worn bearings are the causes of irregular firing that may be produced by the ignition system.

Missing at high speeds can be blamed on the fuel system if there is dirt in the carburetor line or on the spray nozzle or float chamber. It may also be caused by the sticking of the float or the auxiliary air valve.

Is it easier to pump a tire with a jack under the wheel or with the weight of the car upon the tire?

It is easier to pump the tire with the jack under the wheel. The last ten or fifteen pounds, however, should be put in with the jack removed.

I have heard that one should use an oil in winter that will not get stiff. Can you tell me what kind of oil to use?

Cold will tend to thicken almost any oil, but in order to reduce the congealing a lighter oil is used in winter. In the gear seat and axle housings, for example, instead of using the regular summer grade of heavy oil or grease most makers recommend cylinder oil, which is much lighter in body than those mentioned. There are many grades of cylinder oil, and if you will ask your dealer for one of light body and use it in the rear cases instead of regular transmission oil you will have little trouble. The average oil in the motor causes little trouble, but in order to assist the electric starter, should you have one installed, you might try a lighter oil than you are at present using.

In cone clutches I notice there are two different types where the action of the spring is in opposite directions when it engages in the flywheel. Can you give the name of each type and explain their action?

The types you refer to are the inverted cone and ordinary type. In the former type the spring is on the inside and in the latter on the outside of the clutch itself. The difference between the engaging members is in the direction of slope of the cone. In the ordinary type, the small portion being on the inside and the large diameter on the outside, whereas in the inverted cone it is just the opposite. By pressing the pedal of an ordinary cone clutch the spring is carried backward for compression, whereas in the inverted cone, the spring being on the opposite side, it is compressed by a forward thrust.

There is a swishing sound issuing from the neighborhood of the right front wheel of my car when it is in motion. It seems to occur once every revolution. What can be causing it?

There are two very likely causes of such a noise. It may be due to the speedometer gears meshing too tightly or the demountable rim may have a wedge loose. Jack up the wheel and rotate it slowly and you can soon determine whether the gears are too close. If this is the case loosen up the arm that carries the driven gear and move the gear only far enough away so that the noise is eliminated. If the trouble is not found in the speedometer gears tighten up the wedges on the rim. One loose wedge will make a noise similar to that you have described due to the lack of support at this point.

The platinum points in my breaker box burn out in four or five months. Can you tell me why this is?

Interrupter point destruction usually is caused by poor adjustment and care of the points. If the points have too much clearance between them, allowing arcing, the heat produced will destroy the metal in a short time. The points should be dressed three or four times a year by filing with a very fine file. Special magneto rules are supplied by the maker of the instrument or any accessory house.

In ordinary practice at advanced spark how far from the top dead center should the spark occur in inches?

The advanced spark may occur anywhere from one-half to one inch before top dead center. In many racing cars the magneto is set so as to produce a spark more than one inch before center.

When I throttle down the motor of my car for two or three minutes and then open the throttle the motor seems to choke and sometimes will stop altogether. Can you tell me the trouble?

Your trouble is in the carburetor. We suggest your trying a new auxiliary air valve spring. Also inspect the float and float valve and note if they work freely and properly.

What is the proper way to align the wheels of an automobile?

The proper method to align the wheels of an automobile is as follows: At the same distance above the ground as the center of the hub, the measurement is taken across the width of the spread of the two front wheels from the inner side of the rims of each. When this measurement has been carefully checked the wheels are rotated to different positions and measurements taken at the same height. They should always be the same. When the wheels have been found to be true, as far as this measurement is concerned, similar measurements are made at the rear of the wheel. The distance across the wheels at the rear will be slightly larger than in front on account of the toe-in generally allowed. This amounts to one-fourth inch as a rule.

What valve timing should one use on a two cylinder opposed motor with a bore of four and one-fourth and a stroke of four and one-half inches?

Since the valve timing which will give ideal results for any given motor is a variable quantity and depends largely upon such details as manifold design, the only thing which can be done is to give you an approximate timing from which you can vary in one direction or the other until you attain the best results.

If the cams are already made and in the motor, you can only place them so that the valve openings will correspond with those given and allow the closing to take care of itself. A fairly average timing which should give good results is as follows: Intake valve opens ten degrees after upper dead center, and closes thirty-five degrees past lower dead center. The exhaust valve opens forty degrees before lower dead center and closes five degrees past upper dead center.

One of the electric headlights on my car throws a smaller radius of light than the other, the lamps being of the same candle power, and one seems as bright as the other. Why the difference?

It is probable that one of your lamps is out of focus. If you will examine your lamp you will note that the bulb can be moved forward and backward in relation to the reflector. This adjustment should be made until the ray of light thrown out by the lamp is equal to the others. In order to find ascertain, however, that it is the focal adjustment which is incorrect it would be a good idea to take the bulbs out of the lamps and interchange them. Then if the same light gives the greatest illumination and the reflectors are both clean it will certainly be a matter of adjusting the focus.

What is meant by spark advance and spark retard? Does advancing the spark mean to increase its volume?

Advancing and retarding does not affect the volume of the spark, but rather the time it takes place in the cylinder in relation to the piston position. If the spark occurs when the piston is past dead center it is then termed retarded. If before dead center then it is advanced.

When cranking a motor very slowly the spark must be retarded; otherwise an explosion may take place in the cylinder before the piston has reached top center and reverse. This reversing is termed a kick and will often break the arm. The amount of advance to give the spark when driving depends upon the speed of the motor. If the motor is pulling hard and turning over slowly then the spark cannot be so far advanced. If turning freely and fast then the full advance is advisable.

I have a 1910 car, which has magneto only for the ignition system. I find it difficult to start the motor. Last year I had no trouble. Will you please explain the cause of this?

When starting on magneto the spark lever should be advanced. If this was done and your engine does not start easily then clean and readjust the platinum points on the circuit breaker. Since you have a 1910 car and have doubtless used it considerably we would advise your having the magnets remagnetized.

I had the motor in my car overhauled recently, and since that time it runs well at a slow rate of speed, but when I go faster than twenty miles an hour it misses. I have four coils with buzzers; no magneto. What do you think is wrong?

If you are sure that the carburetor is adjusted properly for high speed we would suggest that you clean out the timer so that the roller will make a clean contact with the segments or contact pieces. If they are rather dirty the roller on the end of the timer shaft would not make a good electrical connection with them when going very fast.

## CHANGES IN CABINET WILL COME LATER

Washington, March 6.—Informal announcement is made at the White House that there will be no changes in the cabinet now.

Changes are to come later, it is understood, possibly not before fall, however.

At that time Attorney General Gregory is expected to resume his private practice. In case he retires Secretary of the Interior Lane may succeed him and Secretary of Agriculture Houston may become secretary of the interior.

In this event Assistant Secretary of Agriculture Vrooman of Illinois will be a strong candidate to succeed Mr. Houston. Mr. Vrooman was one of the original Wilson men in Illinois.

Changes are expected in the diplomatic service earlier than in cabinet circles. All of the ambassadors and ministers, as is customary, have forwarded their resignations to the president. Many of the Bryan appointees are expected to have their resignations accepted.

### TO ADOPT BELGIAN VILLAGE

Oyster Bay Will Care for Twenty-four Hundred Children.

New York, March 6.—After listening to an address by Theodore Roosevelt to the citizens of Oyster Bay, at a mass meeting, decided to "adopt" a Belgian village of 2,400 children. The plan will call for a contribution of \$2,400 a month. Colonel Roosevelt, it was announced, will serve as honorary chairman of the general committee of the Rocky Mountain club of New York, which has started action to raise \$1,000,000 a month to aid the children of Belgium.

This committee is making a particular appeal to the states of the Far West.

### BRAINERD AMAZED BY SUDDEN ACTION

The incredible action of simple lavoptik eye wash is startling. A school boy had eye strain so badly he could not read. A week's use of lavoptik surprised his teacher so much that he used it for her old mother. One wash showed benefit. A small bottle lavoptik is guaranteed to benefit every case weak, strained or inflamed eyes. The incredible result is astonishing. Pure aluminum eye cup FREE with each bottle. Johnson's Pharmacy.—Advt. 851f

### STOP CATARRH! OPEN NOSTRILS AND HEAD

Says Cream Applied in Nostrils Relieves Head-Colds at Once.

If your nostrils are clogged and your head is stuffed and you can't breathe freely because of a cold or catarrh, just get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm at any drug store. Apply a little of this fragrant, antiseptic cream into your nostrils and let it penetrate through every air passage of your head, soothing and healing the inflamed, swollen mucous membrane and you get instant relief.

Ah! how good it feels. Your nostrils are open, your head is clear, no more hawking, snuffling, blowing; no more headache, dryness or struggling for breath. Ely's Cream Balm is just what sufferers from head colds and catarrh need. It's a delight.

## The New Method

Backache of any kind is often caused by kidney disorder, which means that the kidneys are not working properly. Poisonous matter and uric acid accumulate within the body in great abundance, over-working the sick kidneys, hence the congestion of blood causes backache in the same manner as a similar congestion in the head causes headache. You become nervous, despondent, sick, feverish, irritable, have spots appearing before the eyes, bags under the lids, and lack ambition to do things.

"The latest and most effective means of overcoming this trouble is to eat sparingly of meat, drink plenty water between meals and take a single Anuric tablet before each meal for a while," says the famous Dr. Pierce of Buffalo, N. Y.

Simply ask your favorite druggist for Anuric if you have lumbago, rheumatism, gout, dropsy, begin immediately with this novel treatment.

### WOMEN OF MINNESOTA.

### ADVICE FOR THOSE WHO ARE WEAK, NERVOUS, SLEEPLESS.

St. Paul, Minn.—"After my first child it left me in a very nervous, weakened and run-down condition. I also suffered with headaches. At this time I found wonderful relief in Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It soon built me up in good condition and my headache was entirely cured. I have great faith in this medicine and have recommended it to other women. I have also used the 'Pleasant Pellets' as a purgative and have always found them to be effective and non-grating."—Mrs. R. McL. HOLMES, 506 Farrington.

## IF BACKACHY OR KIDNEYS BOTHER

Eat less meat and take a glass of Salts to flush out Kidneys—Drink plenty water.

Uric acid in meat excites the kidneys, they become overworked; get sluggish, ache, and feel like lumps of lead. The urine becomes cloudy; the bladder is irritated, and you may be obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night. When the kidneys clog you must help them flush out the body's urinous waste or you'll be a real sick person shortly. At first you feel a dull misery in the kidney region, you suffer from backache, sick headache, dizziness, stomach gets sour, tongue coated and you feel rheumatic twinges when the weather is bad. Eat less meat, drink lots of water; also get from any pharmacist four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to clean clogged kidneys and stimulate them to normal activity, also to neutralize the acids in urine, so it no longer is a source of irritation, thus ending bladder weakness.

Jad Salts is inexpensive, cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which everyone should take now and then to keep the kidneys clean and active. Druggists here say they sell lots of Jad Salts to folks who believe in overcoming kidney trouble while it is only trouble.

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